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Applicants submit herein a true copy of the Communication in Response to Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Application Containing Nucleotide Sequences

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and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated July 1, 2003, without diskette per Examiner's Gambel request. Accordingly, its entry is respectfully requested.

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this response. However, if any additional fee is required, Applicants hereby authorize the Patent Office to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0306.

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We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☒ Transmittal sheet, in duplicate, containing Certificate under 37 CFR §1.8
- ☒ Communication
- ☒ Exhibit A- A copy of the Communication In Response to the July 14, 2003 Notice To Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated July 23, 2003
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